

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 553

By Finney L

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Kristen Lynne Allen,  
2009 Top Ten Graduate of Bradford High  
School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Kristen Lynne Allen is one such exceptional student who was recently ranked in the Top Ten of the 2009 graduating class at Bradford High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Kristen has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Kristen has earned an exemplary grade point average while participating in a number of scholastic and civic organizations including Beta Club, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Math Club, Science Club, the school newspaper, Gibson County Youth Leadership Program, and the cheerleader team; she was voted by her peers as "Best Role Model"; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Allen's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, Kristen's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Duane and Kim Allen, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, her dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2009 Bradford High School Top Ten

Graduate, Kristen Lynne Allen, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.